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February 23, 1953

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TOTEC

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Redeptel 484. Desire one hundred copies "Motivate, Teach, Train."

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JADunaway
TCA:JAStacy:pm

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SecState

March 1, 1953

PRIORITY

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TOTEC

Reurtel 501, project agreement sent Fryer February 24. Quarantine station essential to entire health program, as it will also serve as isolation hospital, training center for health workers, and public health laboratory. Station essential to TCA plans for health.

(repeat not)

WHO not/party to project agreement to complete disinfecting building.

WHO advising on operation of quarantine station.

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Chron 3

Wirom 502
to JAD - 3/2

SecState

March 1, 1953

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TOTEC

From Edens

Urtel 502. On basis of credentials presented do not repeat not consider Ray McDaniels sufficiently trained in technical agriculture for program of work here. Dunaway concurs that technicians must be well trained in science of livestock and crop production to conduct continuous farm experimental work for agricultural improvement in difficult environment where technician will be on his own with occasional assistance from technical specialists. Do not repeat not now need country-wide extension specialist. Delay replacement regrettable but preferable to lack technical training. Suggest degree in agriculture or equivalent minimum requirement all agricultural technicians.

JADunaway/1 Mch 1, 1953
WJEdens

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TELEGRAM SENT

TO: SecState

DATE: March 1, 1953

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TOTEC
From Edens

Urtel 502. On basis of credentials presented do not repeat not consider Ray McDaniels sufficiently trained in technical agriculture for program of work here. ~~Dunaway concurs and suggests American type extension service impossible here foreseeable future and not included in program. Broad technical training all phases agriculture requisite man stationed in village who will be largely on his own with only occasional assistance from specialists.~~ Delay replacement regrettable but preferable to lack technical training. Suggest degree in agriculture or equivalent minimum requirement all agricultural technicians.

JADunaway/1 Mch 1, 1953
WJEdens

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2/1/53

Telegram

On basis of credentials presented, do not consider Ray McDaniel sufficiently trained in technical agriculture for program of work here.

W J Eden

Dunaway concurs that technicians must be well trained in science of livestock and crop production to conduct continuous farm experimental work for agricultural improvement in deficient environment where technician will be on his own with occasional assistance from technical specialists. Do not now need country-wide extension specialist.

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Feb 26, 1953

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WIROM 502

FROM: UNCLASSIFIED

DATE: Feb 27, 1953

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Your 643.

Ray McDaniel background for broad approach to agricultural program compares favorably with average applicant. OFAR considers his 10 years satisfactory performance extension adequate evidence fully qualified for Saudi assignment. Candidate comes highly recommended by associates and superiors. Alternative delay minumum 6 months to find candidate willing accept Saudi assignment.

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February 23, 1953

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TOTEC

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Biographical sketch of Ray McDaniel indicates no training in technical agriculture. This essential in work here. Necessary have this information prior approval.

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JADunaway
TCA:JAStacy:WJEdens:pm

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SECSTATE WASHINGTON

Feb 20, 1953

WIROM 487

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Feb 21, 1953

TOTEC

Country clearance requested Ray B. McDaniel, Agriculture Extension Specialist, letter No. 34, January 30, Reply soonest.

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AmEmbassy BREMEN

March 3, 1953

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FOR LUDOLPHI EXPORT CO FROM DUNAWAY

Re generator shipped SS Braunfels. Air mail bills of lading.

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JADunaway
TCA:JAStacy:pm

Chron 3

See State

March 4, 1953.

PRIORITY

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TOTEC

Four telephone trainees embarked for Washington via Cairo February 28. Confirmation of reservations all the way impossible to secure from this location. Telegraphic advice from trainees of exact arrival time being awaited here for transmission to Washington. Kabbani currently in Beirut. Repeated telegrams to address given there have brought no response. Cooperation of Foreign Office in locating him being sought. Will cable any information concerning him earliest. Omar being processed for departure the eighth.

JADunaway/
RDDolley/1 Mch 4 1953

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Tron III

AMEMBASSY, BEIRUT March 7, 1953

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TOTEC

FOR REGISTRAR, AMERICAN UNIVERSITY BEIRUT

EFFORTS TO LOCATE MAMUM KIRBANI WITHOUT SUCCESS. INFORMATION ON HIS WHEREABOUTS WILL BE APPRECIATED.

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JADunaway
RDDolley/dg/3-7-53

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SECSTATE

March 7, 1953

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TOTEC

FOUR TELEPHONE TRAINEES SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE WASHINGTON MARCH 11 .

KADI MARCH 15. KAHBANI STILL NOT LOCATED.

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RDDolley/dg/ 3-7-53.

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March 7, 1953

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TOTEC

Redeptel 510. Obligation 175 increased to $1097.

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TCA:JAStacy:pm

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March 3.

TELEGRAM RECEIVED: UNCLASSIFIED
From SecState, No. 510 March 3, 1953

TOTEC Your WIROM648. Increase obligation 175 by $152 to cover transportation. Confirm.
DULLES

Chron 3

SECSTATE March 8, 1953

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TOTEC

Recour letter February 24 to Fryer re Quarantine Station. SAG agrees to draft with following changes. One eliminate reference WHO. Two SAG provide housing and transportation for engineer. Three estimated cost to be one hundred thousand dollars. Request TCA/W approval before signing.

HARE

JADuneway
GWFerguson/dg 3/8/53

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March 9, 1953

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Seoul 475. Rabbani located accepts training proposal. Can arrive Washington March 15. Wire instructions earliest.

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Johnson
FGA Mutchler:gra

Chron 3

SecState Washington

March 10, 1953.

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EN CLAIR

NOSEC
TOTEC

Omar Zaki Omar arriving New York via Air France Friday March twenty, Washington via earliest connection. Refer No. 517 March six. Wire full name Mascoud and alternate. No repeat no record correspondence available.

JADunaway
RHDolley/1 3/10/53

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Chron III
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Ambassador BRUCE

March 11, 1953

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MOSSC

Request followup and obtain reply to our wiron _____ addressed to you for delivery Rudolphi.

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TCA:JAD:tacy:pm

Chron 3

SecState March 12, 1953.

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TOTSC

Recommend OFAR request services Ray W. Nixon, date specialist, U. S. Date Garden, Indio, California, to make date variety study Saudi Arabia. Service begin soon as possible, but not later than June first and continue minimum six months. Request spot FBI investigation. Nixon previously indicated willingness make study.

JADunaway
WJBdenn/1 3/12/53

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CHRON III

SECSTATE

March 12, 1953

Wiron

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NOSEC

TOTEC

Redeposit 521. Obligation Number _____ for $300.

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JADuchaway
TCA:JAStacy:pm

Set up by advance obligation 19 dtd Mar 14, 1953.

Chron III

SecState

March 14, 1953

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TOTEC

Sent Dept _____ rptd info Beirut_____ from Jidda.

Blanche Oakes arrived Jidda Mar 12.

HARE

JADunaway
TCA:JAStacy:pm

Chron III

SecState

March 15, 1953

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TUTEC

Urtel 524. Swearingen refuses reconsider resignation.

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TCA:JADunaway:pm

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March 16, 1953

SecState

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TOTEC

Neurairgram 184 4-53. Obligation Number ____ for $175.

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JADunaway
TCA:JAStacy:pm

Chron 3

SecState

March 16, 1953

PRIORITY

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TOTEC

Retel Prity 523 March 10 Kabbani departure March 17 instructed wire Pierce enroute flight number and scheduled arrival time Washington. All trainees reference Dept's 438 and 475 have full Embassy and security clearance prior to departure. Kabbani, Kadi, and four telephone trainees full Embassy and Security clearance. Re Airgram A-54, March 5, Hattab accepts training program planned. Forward award letter.

JADunaway
RDDolley/BO 3/16/53

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F 2 (Bode)

SecState March 18, 1953

PRIORITY

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TOTEC

Repritycirc 900 dtd Feb 28. Title CDA. Fiscal years covered 1952, 1953 and 1954 in sequence stated. American positions; annual salary rates 83,100 , 205,900 , 408,600; Total obligations 19,800 , 679,200 , 1,047,100 distributed between salary rate 15,700 , 335,500 , 408,600 , Allowances1,100 , 27,100 , 84,400 , travel and transportation, including dependents 1,700 , 37,400 , 219,100 , all other costs including housing 1,300 , 279,200 , 335,000 ; total obligations distributed between administrative 4,900 , 110,500 , 190,900 and program 14,900 , 568,700 , 856,200 ; Local positions; annual salary rates 500 , 12,800 , 77,200 ; Total obligations 200 , 10,400 , 85,600 distributed between salary rate 200 , 10,400 , 77,200, local travel none, none, 8,400 , other costs none, none, none; total obligations distributed between administrative 200 , 3,900 , 25,500 and program none, 6,500, 60,100 ; Total number of local positions 1, 8, 33 applicable to administrative 1, 3, 16 and program none, 5, 17.

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JADunaway
TCA:JBode:JAStacy:pm

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March 19, 1953

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TOTEC

Urgently request status of project agreement for quarantine station sent Feb 24.

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TELEGRAM SENT

TO: SecState

DATE: March 18, 1953

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TOTEC

Urgently request ~~immediate approval~~ status of project agreement for quarantine station sent Feb 24.

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This was rewritten
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JADunaway
~~TCA:GMFerguson:rm~~ G.W.F.

Chron III

SecState

March 19, 1953

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TOTEC

Radeptel 950. Report Rome conference mailed air pouch today.

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JADunaway
TCA:JAStacy:ym

Chron 111

SecState March 21, 1953

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TOPSEC

Sent Dept_____ rptd info Amman._____ from Jidda.

Re Amman tel 37 requesting estimate costs and obligation number transfer Swearingen. Unanswered pending Department's advice our tel _____. Advise Department action Swearingen resignation account.

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JADunaway
TOA:JAS:bacy:pm

CHRON 711

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AmEmbassy, Beirut

March 22, 1953

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TOTEC

Reurtel 115. Not interested in employing Dr. Kanafani at present.

HARE

JADunaway
GWFerguson:o

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Chron 3

Sec State

March 23, 1953

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TOTEC

Request E.T.A. Brinck and Stark.

JADunaway/1 3/23/53

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AmConsul DHAHRAN

March 24, 1953

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TO BISHOP FROM HARE

Donald Dougherty arriving today via Aramco for emergency hospitalization. Arrange admittance Dhahran Air Force Base Hospital.

HARE

JAD:mawsy
TCA:JAStacy:pm

f-1 (pending)
f-2 - EDENS
CHRON III

SecState

March 25, 1953

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TGTSC

Advise soonest delivery status Agriculture purchase order 470-199-8. Farm level from Sears, moldboard walking plow and cultivator from Amelrod, fertilizer and insecticide from Bolgiano.

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JADunaway
TCA:WJEdens:JAStacy:pm

Chron 3

SecState

March 26, 1953.

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TOTEC

Re Deptel 547. R. A. Hamam El Dajahestani, fifth telephone trainee, cleared ready to depart upon official advice. Application forwarded Totec Despatch 29, March 17.

JADunaway
RDDolley

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~~f-2 (Ferguson)~~
CHRON III

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March 28, 1953

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TOTEC

SAG retained consulting engineer to write specifications for ice plant, air conditioning, power plant and laundry. TCA consulting engineer required for disinfecting building only. Delay in approval of project proving very detrimental to entire health program.

HARS

JADunaway
TCA:GWFerguson:pm

SecState March 30, 1953

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TOTSC

Your 554. Quarantine Station to be center of public health activities in this area. Ref. our letter Feb 11 for content of station which includes two hospitals, public health laboratory, training center, etc.

Before construction started WHO advised SAG on content of station. Therefore there is no question concerning the substitution of dusters for steam and chemical sterilization.

Request approval of project agreement sent Feb 24 with changes cabled March 3.

HARE

TCA:JADunaway
GWFerguson

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March 31, 1953

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TOTEC

Brinck EOD March 31.

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TCA:JAS tacy:pm

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f-2 (Ferguson)
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March 31, 1953

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TOTEC

Project agreement for establishment maternal and child health clinic in Jidda ready for signature. Commits TCA to assign nurse to Ministry to organize and supervise nuring activities in clinic and to give dollars 2500 annually for special equipment for specific demonstrations. This will be first clinic of its kind. Request authorization to sign agreement.

HARE

JADunaway
TCA:GWFerguson:jm

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Chron II

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SecState April 2, 1953

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EN CLAIR

NOSEC

TOTEC

Sindi application important. Advise earliest placement progress.

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TCA;RDDolley:o

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SecState April 2, 1953

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TOTEC

Re DEPTEL 547 our WIRCH 234 March 26, should fifth telephone trainee be sent immediately.

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TCA:RDolley:c

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SecState April 2, 1953

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TOTEC.

SAG through Secretary General of Ministry of Health informally asked TCA to withdraw Health Division because they believe TCA unwilling to consider satisfactorily projects proposed by them. After a discussion of status of proposed projects Secretary General agreed to ask Minister of Health to reconsider. If immediate approval received on projects as submitted for quarantine station and Maternal and Child Health Clinic, Minister of Health may reconsider decision.

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JADunaway
TCA:GWFerguson:o

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PRIORITY

SecState

April 2, 1953

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TOTEC

SAG through Secretary General of Ministry of Health informally asked TCA to withdraw Health Division because they believe TCA unwilling to consider satisfactorily projects proposed by them. Urgently request approval of projects as submitted for quarantine station and Maternal and Child Health Clinic immediately.

HARE

JADunaway
TCA:GWFerguson:c

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TCA

SECSTATE April 5, 1953

765

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TOTEC

For NEA

TCA desires purchase from its funds such items as towels, blankets, household linen, drapes, silver, dishes, cooking utensils, glassware for newly acquired staff quarters. Part III, Administrative Manual Sections 200 and 700 not clear what are limitations this type purchase. Embassy requests cable clarification.

HARE

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SecState April 6, 1953

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En Clair

TOTEC

Urgently necessary to know ETA Stark.

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SecState April 7, 1953

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En Clair
From Abbey
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TOTEC

Notify sconest whether date specialist Nixon approved and will accept assignment. Services to be effective required by June one.

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SecState

April 9, 1953

Wirom 776

RESTRICTED

NOSEC

TOTEC

Recur 769. Vaccine lab estimate cost dollars 85 thousand instead of 30-40 thousand.

HARE

JADunaway
GWFerguson:jm

TCA
Chron 3

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SecState April 7, 1953

769

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NOSEC

TOTEC

SAG retained Director of Laboratories of Egypt to establish vaccine laboratory in Arabia. He has submitted plan of building, estimate cost of furniture and equipment (not chemicals, etc.) and list of personnel. SAG determined to go through with project. Efforts have failed to change their minds. SAG requestsassistance. May we negotiate a project agreement to furnish a specific amount of equipment estimated cost 30 to 40 thousand dollars? If so, will request Bevis for consultation. Letter follows.

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JADunaway

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CHRON III

Amembassy ~~BEIR~~ AMMAN April 9, 1953

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TOTEC

Sent Amman 19 rptd info Dept 777 from Jidda.

Request Davis for consultation for two weeks. Charge travel to Allotment 34701 Title II, MSA, allotment to State 1953, 19-112/31019. Notify ETA.

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GWFerguson:pm

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CHRON III

SecState

April 11, 1953

PRITY 780

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TOTEC

Reference Circular Control 1012 dtd Apr 8. Impossible due unavoidable circumstances to submit occupancy report and reply Circular Airgram Control 1941 before Apr 16.

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JADunaway
JBode:pm

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April 11, 1953

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En Clair

TOTEC.

NOSEC.

Country clearance given Mrs. Neil Brinck.

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JADunaway
GMFerguson:o

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Chron. 3

Being held pending meeting with Health min

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SecState April 12, 1953

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NOSEC.

TOTEC.

Reurtel 572. SAG believes WHO requires autoclaves for acceptable quarantine station. Local WHO advisor strongly advises autoclaves. Request PHS reach agreement with WHO on this subject so that project agreement can be signed. Very urgent to know decision between PHS and WHO soonest.

HARE

JADunaway
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URGENT

SecState April 12, 1953

Mr Clair

784

NOSEC.

TOTEC.

Your 575. Public Health Program urgently needs Medical Officer. Have not seen Dmetry's file but approve anyway if immediately available. If his ETA six months hence, not interested. Speed urgent. He should forego FSI.

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April 13, 1953.

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TOTEC

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Reur 577 Bogue and Goudarzi only mineral geologists on staff. Bogue denies discussion housing costs with any one. Goudarzi presently on field trip and cannot be contacted. Goudarzi with wife and four children occupy apartment in three family house under lease to Embassy Contract Serial No. S 436 FA/26. Annual rental 24,000 riyals equivalent to dollars 6,575. Other occupants house Page FBO and Betzig TCA. Local employee Embassy occupies apartment in gate house compound. Electric supplied by Jidda Electric Company owned by SAO, rate 1/2 Saudi Riyal per KWH average monthly bill for whole premises approximately 2700 riyals. Bogue housing as single sharing quarters and are less than half above.

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TO: SECSTATE

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Bogue and Goudarzi only mineral geologists on staff. Bogue denies ~~knowledge of housing cost or~~ discussion housing costs with any one. Goudarzi presently on field trip and cannot be contacted. Goudarzi with wife and four children occupy apartment in three family house under lease to Embassy Contract Serial No. S 436 FA/26. Annual rental 24,000 riyals equivalent to dollars 6,575. Other occupants house Page FBO and Betzig TCA. Local employee Embassy occupies apartment in gate house compound. Electric supplied by Jidda Electric Company owned by SAG, rate 1/2 Saudi Riyal per KWH average monthly bill for whole premises approximately 2700 riyals. ~~Water bill [illegible]~~ Bogue housing as single sharing quarters and are less than half above.

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JADunaway
JAStacy/1
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April 13, 1953

PRITY 786

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TOTEC

Change our 769 to read "May we negotiate a project agreement to improve immunization program by establishing clinics and manufacturing vaccines. Not all of estimated cost of 85 thousand needed now." SAC pressing us hard. We cannot refuse because this country is small since SAC believes TCA aiding laboratory for Jordan.

HARE

JADunaway
GWFergusonto

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RESTRICTED

SecState April 14, 1953

PRITY 791

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Sent Dept. _____ rptd info Public Health Service, Div. of Intl. Health from Jidda

NOBSC.

TOTBC.

SAG interested to satisfy WHO Quarantine Regulations. SAG believes WHO requires autoclaves exclusively. Not advisable for Gillis come Jidda. Decisions can not be made here. Request PHS reach agreement with WHO re equipment necessary and notify us soonest.

HARE

JADunaway
GWFergusonto

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CHRON III

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April 14, 1953

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TOTEC

Redeptel 561. Dajahestani instructed cable arrival particulars from Beirut. Confirmations unobtainable Jidda. Expected arrival sixteenth security cleared. Sindi security cleared arriving New York Air France flight 27 May 4.

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April 13, 1953

WIROM 793

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TOTEC.

Country clearance given Skrinde.

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JADunaway
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TCA
Chron III

SecState

April 15, 1953

PRIORITY 801

RESTRICTED

NOSEC

TOTEC

Request authorization to sign project agreement to strengthen the quarantine services. SAG contributes (1) approximately 150 buildings cost 10 million riyals (2) utilities cost 2 million riyals (3) personnel to operate station (4) payment port costs of imported equipment (5) housing and transportation consulting engineer. TCA contributes (1) purchase of needed equipment for disinfecting building (2) supervision of installation of equipment (3) needed engineering services including training of personnel (4) some instructors for school of health; if agreeable, (5) a quarantine team from U.S., (6) scientific publications relating to quarantine and public health work, (7) assistance in promoting a program of public health in this area; money for each item to be spent by mutual agreement. Estimate cost 100,000 dollars. Equipment purchased must fulfill requirements of "Sanitary Regulations for International Travel".

This willbe opening wedge to start a public health program. Entire health program hinges on receiving immediate approval.

HARE

JADunaway
GWFergusonrdjh/dh

For numbering and return to TCA

SECSTATE

April 16, 1953

Priority 800

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TOTEC

Recour wire 795, April 14. Senior Effendi was given EOD April 16 and resigned former position prior our receipt Control 2681. Urgent we have cable authorizing employment effective April 16.

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JAStacy:hm

TCA

SECSTATE

April 14, 1953

Airgram 795

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TOTEC

Reference Circular Airgram Control 2681 dated March 20, TOTEC

Request authorization to employ locally a water-truck driver and Senior Translator-Interpreter. Present acute water shortage necessitates 24-hour service. Present TO includes only one driver. Senior Effendi necessary for supervisory duties.

HARE

JASteacy:SES:hm

Chron 3. TCA

SecState

April 16, 1953

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NOSEC

TOTEC

Reference Circular Airgram Control 1941 dated March 14. Part I None. Part II None. Part III. Beit Sudairi, Mecca Road, newly constructed, seven family units, lease costs of 10,780 below Government allowance of 43,200; cost of household furnishings and equipment 32,230 including air conditioning units 14,580 refrigerators 4,050 and electric ranges 2,100; total cost 43,010 paid in cash in local currency, three family units occupied each by one Government employee and one dependent, one unit by one employee and two dependents, one unit by two employees, and two units vacant, appropriation from which salaries are paid 19-112/31019; Beit Fakhri, about five years old, four family units, lease costs of 6,468 below Government allowance of 21,600, cost of household furnishings and equipment 15,040 including air conditioning units 5,940 refrigerators 1,550 and electric ranges 1,050, Total cost 21,508 paid in cash in local currency, one family unit occupied by one Government employee and one dependent, salary appropriation 1930113, one unit by one employee and five dependents, salary appropriation 19-112/31019, one unit by one employee, salary appropriation 19-112/31019, and one unit by one local employee and one dependent, salary appropriation 1930113; Baker compound, average three years old, seven family units, lease costs of 26,411 below Government allowance of 63,300, cost of household furnishings and equipment 2,500 including refrigerators 650 and electric range 350, Total cost 28,911 paid in cash in local currency, three family units occupied each by one Government employee and one dependent, two units each by one employee and three dependents, and two units each by two employees, salary appropriation 19-112/31019; Baker compound, newly constructed, four family units, lease costs of 11,858 below Government allowance of 18,600, cost of household furnishings and equipment none, Total cost 11,858 paid in cash in local currency, three family units occupied each by one Government employee, and one family unit vacant, salary appropriation 19-112/31019.

Part IV None. Part V. Have verbal lease agreement, no signed contract, eight family units, unfurnished, total annual rental 20,000, electricity additional. Housing units presently under signed leases twenty-two; present staff twenty-one; approved ultimate staff forty-four. Apparent deficit fourteen housing units reduced by approximately five units for contemplated double occupancy.

HARE

Dunaway

TAStacy:pm

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SecState

April 18, 1953

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NOSEC

TOTEC

ReCirMemo from Howell, Controller, TCA/W, March 20. Report can be prepared only after all transactions for period have been posted on prescribed forms per Interim Accounting Procedure. Heretofore no accounting records have been kept by TCA Jidda due lack administrative personnel. Embassy entries TCA transactions contain only information required for Embassy purposes, which is inadequate for Interim Procedure. Present TCA administrative staff endeavors furnish missing information from memory. Considerable time necessary analyze and redistribute many transactions, task further complicated by fact administrative staff undergone frequent changes. In view foregoing it appears unlikely requested report can be submitted to reach TCA/W before May 15. Meanwhile TCA Jidda prepared cable estimates certain figures immediately required.

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Amlahassy, Amman April 20, 1953

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Reurlet April 1, inadvisable for Davis go to Dhahran now. Request Davis ETA Jidda.

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PRITY 813

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Your 591. Our 801 outlined financial contributions of each party. Entire project formulated, discussed, agreed upon by SAG and TCA/Jidda. Signatures pending authorization. Each day for weeks Ministry of Health has asked if authorization has been received. Continuing delay can create only ill will. Sending copy final draft. Urgently request authorization to sign soonest.

Understand cost for TCA technicians and SAG trainees does not come out of dollar contribution. Review of fourth quarter allotment here indicates $50,000 available for this project. Additional $50,000 must be made available as a supplement to FY-53 or FY-54.

Cannot supply obligation number in amount $10,000 for immediate purchase of power duster and DDT unless project agreement is signed. Believe suitable DDT now in Jidda.

It is urgent to sign this project agreement now. Decision on specific equipment can await outcome of discussion between WHO and PHS as requested our 791. If no agreement reached, SAG would insist upon following the advice of WHO.

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April 21, 1953

WIROM 814

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Urtel 592. For budgetary and personnel reasons participation conference on control program impracticable. No local infection reported.

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April 22, 1953

WIROM 818

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TOTEC.

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URWIROM 589. Doubtful host government will cooperate land reform presently and consider impolitic to suggest such course. Opportunity may be afforded later when agriculture program gets under way especially in case land reclamation.

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TECHNICAL COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION
Jidda, Saudi Arabia

MEMORANDUM April 23, 1953

TO: The Ambassador

FROM: John A. Dunaway, Acting U. S. Director of Technical Cooperation in Saudi Arabia

SUBJECT: Department Telegram #596 re Moslem Technicians

While we have been inconvenienced by the inability of our technicians visiting the SAG Offices in Mecca, this inconvenience was most pronounced in the case of study of the general accounting system. The difficulty was overcome by SAG employing a competent Moslem accountant. I have the feeling that any American citizen employed by TCA who claimed to be Moslem would be looked upon with suspicion if he attempted to visit Mecca, or if we undertook to station him there. So far SAG has never to my knowledge suggested any assistance which would involve visiting either holy city, but has instead employed technicians in the health, education and engineering fields from Palestine, Egypt and other Middle Eastern countries.

In conclusion, I doubt the advisability of recruiting personnel on the basis of religion, though I see no objection to employing a Moslem if he is as well qualified technically as available persons of non-Moslem faith.

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AmEmbassy, Baghdad

April 23, 1953

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CONFIDENTIAL SECURITY INFO.

Rohrbaugh from Dunaway.

Unavailable for Baghdad consultation. Could spare Kennedy who is fully competent provided visit not prolonged beyond May 20. Would collaborate with Kennedy in study of data and recommendations on his return Jidda.

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JADunaway:o

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April 27, 1953

Wirom 829

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RsurCirc 1024. Unable comply requirements until receipt authenticated advice allotment fourth quarter.

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SecState

April 27, 1953

Wirom 831

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WIROM 830

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From Ediens to H.A. Nagas, O.F.A.R.

Amos effects stored Embassy awaiting orders. Advise disposition.

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[redacted] Baghdad April 26, 1953

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Kennedy ETA Baghdad 12 noon Wednesday Liban.

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April 28, 1953

Wirom 837

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TOTEC

Redeptel 603. Obligation Number 220 for $40,000 purchase supplies equipment and pharmaceutical Darb health center. This obligation consumes funds estimated available for foundation contract per embtel Wirom 825

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April 30, 1953

Wirom 839

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TOTEC

Redeptel 600. Urge immediate recruitment agricultural specialists: one soils, one extension, one entomology, ~~one extension~~, one date, one irrigation engineer. Health: medical officer and nurse. Education, teachers: one vocational, one commercial. Program direction: executive officer, administrative assistant, program officer. Full details staffing patterns priorities for recruitment including TCA-17 by air pouch today.

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April 30, 1953

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Inform all personnel bring bed and table linen, dishes, silverware, cooking utensils as these items not supplied by TCA.

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Information concerning housing given Brinck by TCA/W entirely erroneous. Request Skrinde and any subsequent technicians be informed that Mission controlled quarters are not furnished with dishes, linens, silverware, glasses, cooking utensils. Only at temporary quarters at Baker are above mentioned items furnished.

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May 2, 1953

Wirom 840

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TOTEC

Urgently need reply our 795 and 800.

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CHRON III

SecState

May 5, 1953

Wirom 851

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TOTEC

Reurcirc 1024 and Wirom 611. Procurement this post nearly entirely on unilateral basis. All known requisitions on Washington have been forwarded. Per Embassy accounts following:

Unobligated balance 5153 dollars 67M. DS-150 in transit dollars 502M. Total available dollars 569M. Obligations to be posted dollars 564M. Indicated unobligated balance dollars 5M. Foregoing figures include obligations all operations to close FY 53. Does not include obligation for contemplated foundation agreement Asir.

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TCA:JAStacy:pm

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PRITY 852

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TOTEC.

NOSEC.

SAG requests definite answer quarantine project agreement mailed April 22. Delay detrimental to SAG planning for quarantine station. Our 813 second review of fourth quarter allotment indicates additional funds not required as $100,000 available.

Request definite answer soonest as indefinite answer will be construed by SAG as disapproval which would jeopardise health program.

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GWFerguson:c

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AMCONSULGEN, Dhahran

May 7, 1953

PRITY 332

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TOTEC

NOSEC

Dolley arriving MATS approximately 6:30 PM Jidda time May 12. Advise earliest Messrs Nash, Lebkicher ARAMCO

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RDDolley:djh

TCA

SECSTATE May 10, 1953

Attention: J. Carney Howell

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TOTEC

Rewirom 611

TCA Interim accounting and reporting instructions requiressreceipt validated copy Advise of Allotment prior entering any obligations. DS-150 covering $502,000 for TCA last quarter not repeat not received. Request instructions from Howell to prevent overobligation.

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AmLegation,
Geneva, Switzerland

May 10, 1953

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For Hyde.

Ferguson to arrive Flight 907 TWA Tuesday 3:40 PM.

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May 11, 1953

PRITY 865

Funds.

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TOTEC

Rush forms requested wirem 820 April 23 urgently needed for new iterim accounting procedure.

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JADunaway
TCA:JBode:pm

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April 23, 1953

Wirom 820

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TOTEC

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May 11, 1953

PRITY 866

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TOTEC

Repritycire 1102 May 9 personnel March 31 April 30. Total non-US local employees TCA payroll 11 and 13. Total contract personnel in country 10 and 10 Americans and 1 and 1 local.

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JADunaway
TCA:JBode:pm

Mr. Stacy

SECSTATE

May 11, 1953

Embassy telegram

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TOTEC

Ref. Dept. Wirom 625, May 4.

Embassy Security Officer ascertained actual electric bill averaged $560.00 per month December through March. Meter in house basis charge. FBO Representative finds no evidence unauthorized individuals tapping line. Following electrical equipment in house: 14 Air Conditioners, 2 deep freeze, 5 refrigerators, 4 stoves, 1 water pump, 4 hot water heaters. Electric charges comparable other Government lease and private premises in area.

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May 11, 1953

Funds

Wirem 867

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NOSEC

TOTEC

Interim accounting procedure in process installation disclosed individual activity figures in program authorization number 3470 fiscal year 1953 have not been adhered to and failure to establish expanded community service program as obligation will apparently result in overobligation excess of three hundred thousand dollars. Detailed information upon completion interim account procedure which is progressing slowly for reasons stated in our wirem 807 April 16.

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JADunaway
TCA:JBode:pm

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May 12, 1953

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TOTEC

Recur 783. Please advise ETD and ETA Mrs. Neil BRINCK.

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to Be Attached

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TCA:JAStacy:pm

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May 12, 1953

PRITY 872

Budget & Fin. Div.

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NOSEC.

From Division Chiefs Edens, Brown, Dolley, Ferguson, Sinclair.

Do not understand why FY54 estimated budget provides no funds for technical supplies, equipment and field travel. This makes project planning and development untenable. Proposed budget seriously jeopardizes total country program. Clarification of TCA operational policy for SA requested.

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WJEdens:o

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May 18, 1953

WIROM 879

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From Abbey.

TOTEC. Dolley to Charles E. Dawson, U.S. Office of Education.

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Reurtel May 15 Request Robert Dolley Jr. be sent to Jidda.

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TCA:WJEdens, Acting Dir.

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May 23, 1953

WIROM 885

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TOTEC.

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Reurtel 639. Cannot locate Stewart biographical sketch. Cable brief bio-sketch and country clearance will be requested and forwarded.

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WJEdens:o

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May 24, 1953

Wirom 883

(to E Wash.)

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TOTEC

Re Requisition 2615. Barset files padlocks received April 21. Keys still undelivered. Advise. Padlock Nos. SA 14410 through 14413.

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TCA:JAStacy:pm

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May 24, 1953

WIROM 886

Agri Personnel
Strong
Mason
Stewart

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TOTEC.

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Fiscal 54 budget limits agriculture personnel to nine. Approval given for twelve. Notify FAS to recruit only nine as follows: Chief Agriculturist, Agronomist, Animal Husbandman, Irrigation Engineer, Soil Specialist, two Extension, Date Specialist, Desert Range and Sheep Specialist.

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WJEdens:o

Answered By
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See agri personnel file -

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FROM NELSON

DEPTEL 643. Documents forwarded via Department OM dated May 11, 1953.

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May 25, 1953

Wirom 884 (Cir airgram Inventory)

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ReCircAirg 874, dated May 7. 1951 none. 1952 one Chevrolet sedan, motor number JAM 294143, serial number 2JKE-58403, unit cost about $1400, inland freight unknown, ocean freight $386.42, export packing charges unknown, approx date of purchase March. 1953 none.

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June 6, 1953

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Airgram 1173 dated May 9, 1953

Point 4: PROJECTS: Agreement on the Community Development Project

Referring to the substance of the above named airgram, the Embassy is of the opinion that it would be inadvisable to request SAG to revise the Agreement on the Community Development Project in order to set up a cooperative service.

1. The form of agreement was carefully considered at the time the agreement was drawn up and all concerned in the negotiations were of the opinion that neither the cooperative service nor joint fund method of procedure were appropriate under conditions prevailing in Saudi Arabia. The form of agreement conforms to telegraphic instructions from TCA/W. Without rehashing the arguments pro and con, there has been no change in the situation to justify the conclusion that the cooperative service form of organization is better than the form of agreement now in force.

2. Aside from considerations in 1 above, the Embassy is of the opinion that no suggestions for changes in agreements requiring long drawn out negotiations should be made except those easily understood and not likely to be construed as a reflection upon SAG's good faith or willingness to carry out its agreements. It should be noted that some explanations and negotiations will be required in connection with financing this project as per your telegram 698, and no doubt in other TCA programs due to the drastic reductions in funds for FY-54 from the total allotment on which programs were planned.

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Re changes in Rural
comm. Dev. Agreement

Mr. Duncan

copy in Rural Comm.
Agreement file.